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Title: RAD51-BRC REPEAT CRYSTALS

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Sir:

**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

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Total effective claims after amendment 0 minus highest number  
previously paid for 20 (at least 20) = 0 x \$50.00 \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

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\$360.00 (1203)/\$0.00 (2203) \$

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☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

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**RESPONSE**

Responsive to the Official Action dated March 7, 2007, the applicants elect, with traverse, the subject matter of the Examiner's Group I for further prosecution in the above.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement are requested as the Examiner has not established, such as by citation of anticipatory prior art, that the claims do not share a single general inventive concept. The claims are submitted to share the same or corresponding special technical feature. Moreover, search and examination of all of the claims would not place an undue burden on the Examiner.

Withdrawal of the lack of unity objection and examination of all of the claims are requested.